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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.111**

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 25, 2003, please consider the remarks below and enter the following amendments. Applicants submit concurrently herewith: (1) a Declaration for Non-provisional Patent Application executed by the actual inventors; (2) a Request to Correct Inventorship under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a); (3) a Consent by Assignee for Correction of Inventorship pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(5) with Exhibit 1; (4) a Statement by the Inventor to Be Added Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(2) executed by Dr. Peter Palese; (5) a Statement by the Inventor to Be Added Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a)(2) executed by Dr. David Clarke; (6) a Supplementary Information Disclosure Statement; (7) a List of References Cited; (8) copies of References BY to DH; (9) an Amendment Fee Transmittal Sheet, accompanied by the appropriate fee; (10) a Request for Continued Examination, accompanied by the appropriate fee; and (11) a Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a period of two months from May 25, 2003 to and including July 25, 2003 accompanied by the appropriate fee.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend the paragraph at page 1, lines 5-9, beginning "This application is a continuation-in-part . . ." to read as follows (deleted material is shown as strikethrough and added material is shown by underlining):